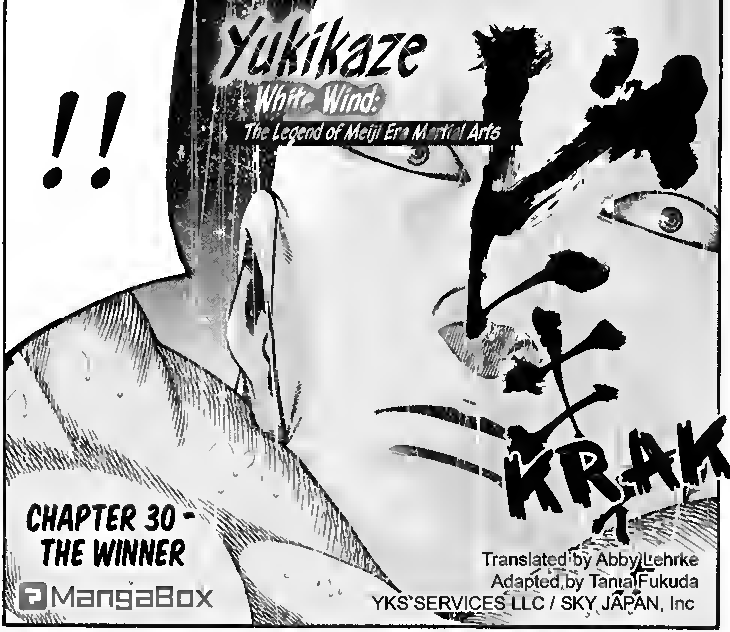

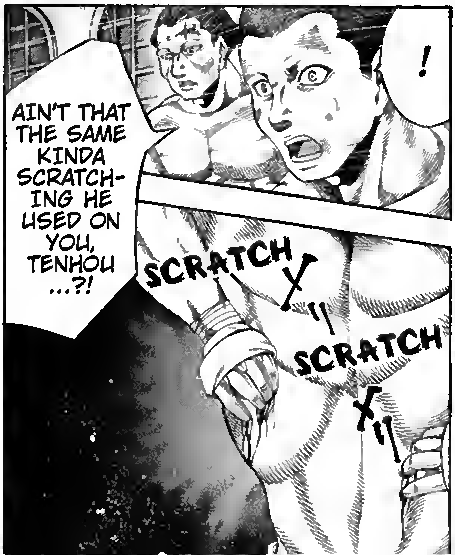

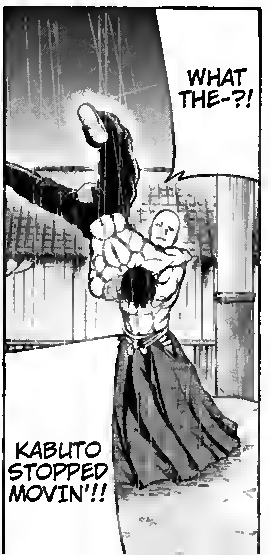

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YOU IDIOT.
THAT'S A KARATE MOVE CALLED THE TIGER CLAW.
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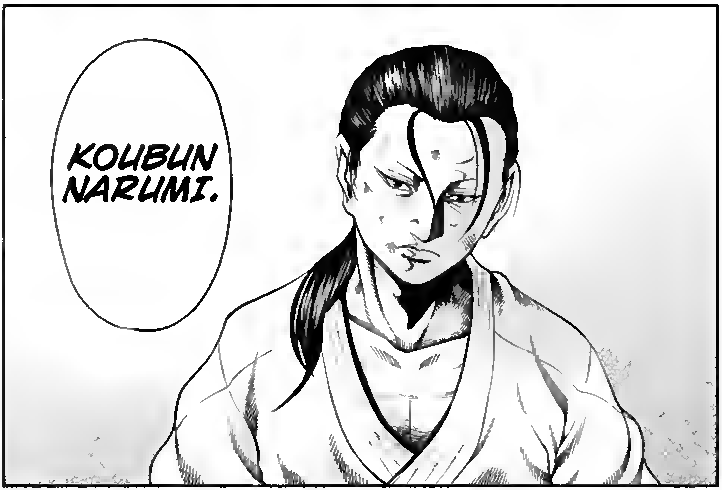
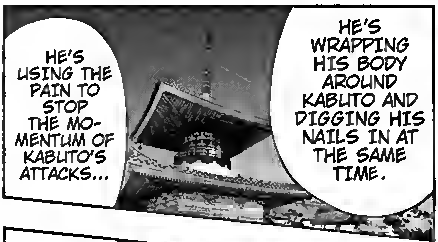
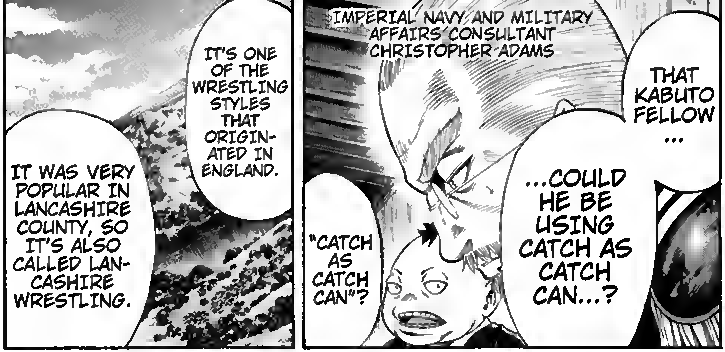

KOUBUN NARUMI.

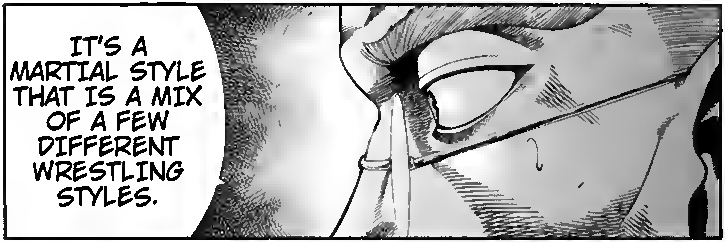

HE'S USING THE PAIN TO STOP THE MOMENTUM OF KABUTO'S ATTACKS...
HE'S WRAPPING HIS BODY AROUND KABUTO AND DIGGING HIS NAILS IN AT THE SAME TIME.

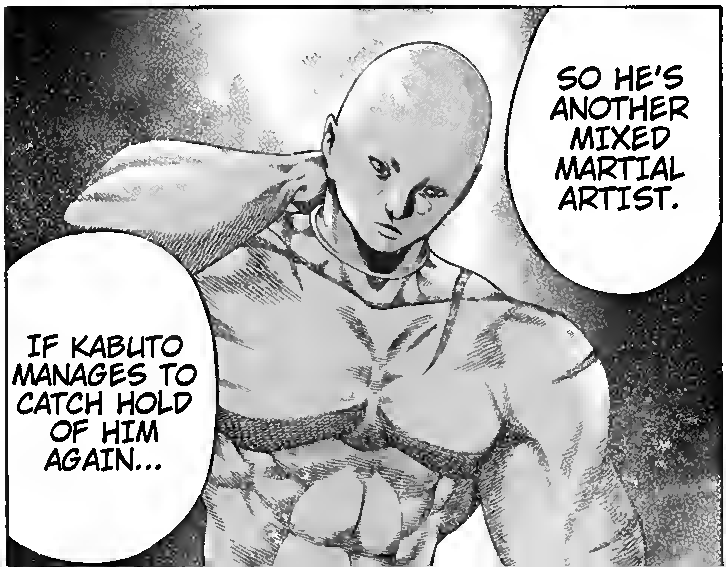
IT IS LIKELY YUKIMURA HAS NEVER HEARD OF THE TIGER CLAW.

THERE ARE SOME IRREGULARITIES IN HIS MOVE...
WHO'S AN IDIOT?! YOU WANT ME TO BREAK YOUR JAW AGAIN?

VOOM
HIS PHYSICAL ABILITY AND CREATIVITY AS A MARTIAL ARTIST...
AAAH!
KABUTO IS OFF BALANCE!!
...BOTH GIVE ME SHIVERS.
ZOOSH
YUKIMURA GOT AWAY FROM HIM!!
THAT WAS A CLOSE ONE...!


IMPERIAL NAVY AND MILITARY AFFAIRS CONSULTANT CHRISTOPHER ADAMS
THAT KABUTO FELLOW...
...COULD HE BE USING CATCH AS CATCH CAN...?
"CATCH AS CATCH CAN"?
IT'S ONE OF THE WRESTLING STYLES THAT ORIGINATED IN ENGLAND.
IT WAS VERY POPULAR IN LANCASHIRE COUNTY, SO IT'S ALSO CALLED LANCASHIRE WRESTLING.


IT'S A MARTIAL STYLE THAT IS A MIX OF A FEW DIFFERENT WRESTLING STYLES.


SO HE'S ANOTHER MIXED MARTIAL ARTIST.
IF KABUTO MANAGES TO CATCH HOLD OF HIM AGAIN...

...YUKIMURA HAS NO CHANCE.

WHAT? WHAT IS YUKIMURA LOOKING AT?
THAT IDIOT!
GLANCE

THIS IS NO TIME TO LET YOUR BROTHER DISTRACT YOU.

CONCENTRATE, YUKIMURA...!

DO YOU WANT TO DIE HERE ?!
...o.o

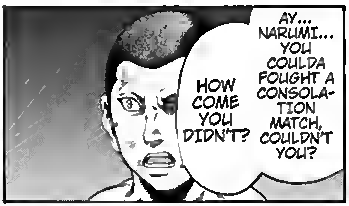
Glare
THOK
YUKI-
MURA
COUNTER-
ATTACK!
ZSH

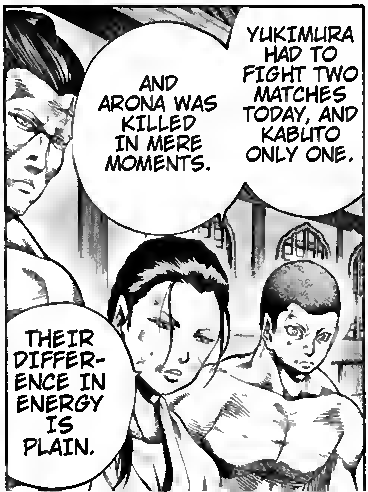
SHIBAHARA FAMILY VASSAL
SHUUSUKE GAMANUMA
...IT'S LIKE HE CAN'T BE HIT...
YUKIMURA REALLY IS FAST...

OH, THIS AIN'T GOOD...

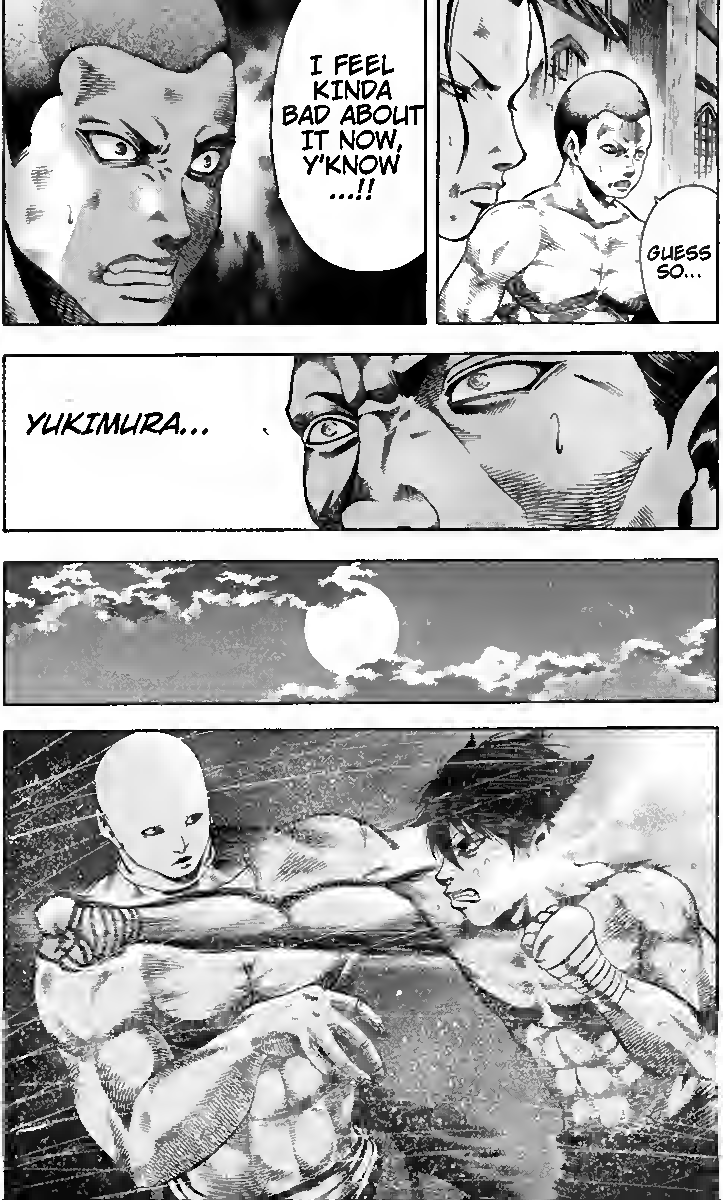
PANT
PANT
PANT

YUKI-MURA'S...
...RUNNIN' OUT OF JUICE.


AY... NARUMI... YOU COULDA FOUGHT A CONSOLA-TION MATCH, COULDN'T YOU?
HOW COME YOU DIDN'T?


YUKIMURA HAD TO FIGHT TWO MATCHES TODAY, AND KABUTO ONLY ONE.
AND ARONA WAS KILLED IN MERE MOMENTS.
THEIR DIFFER-ENCE IN ENERGY IS PLAIN.

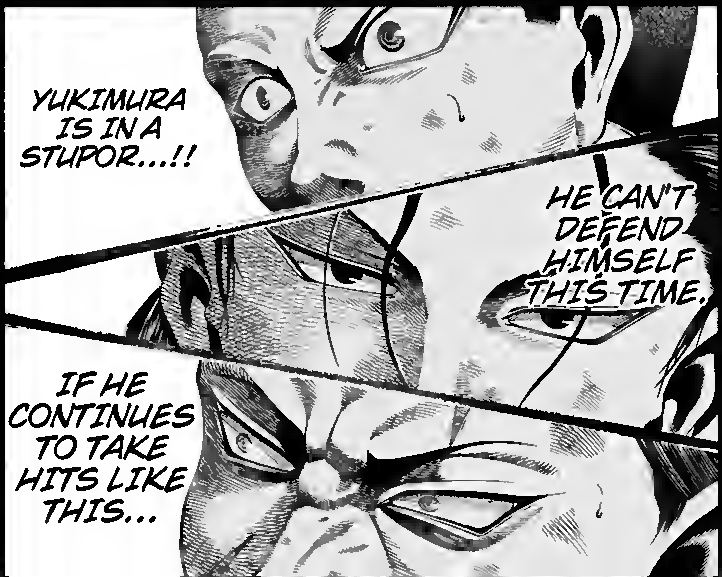
HOW COULD I DARE TO SHOW MY FACE AFTER MY LOSS...?!


I FEEL KINDA BAD ABOUT IT NOW, Y'KNOW ...!!
GUESS SO...
YUKIMURA...

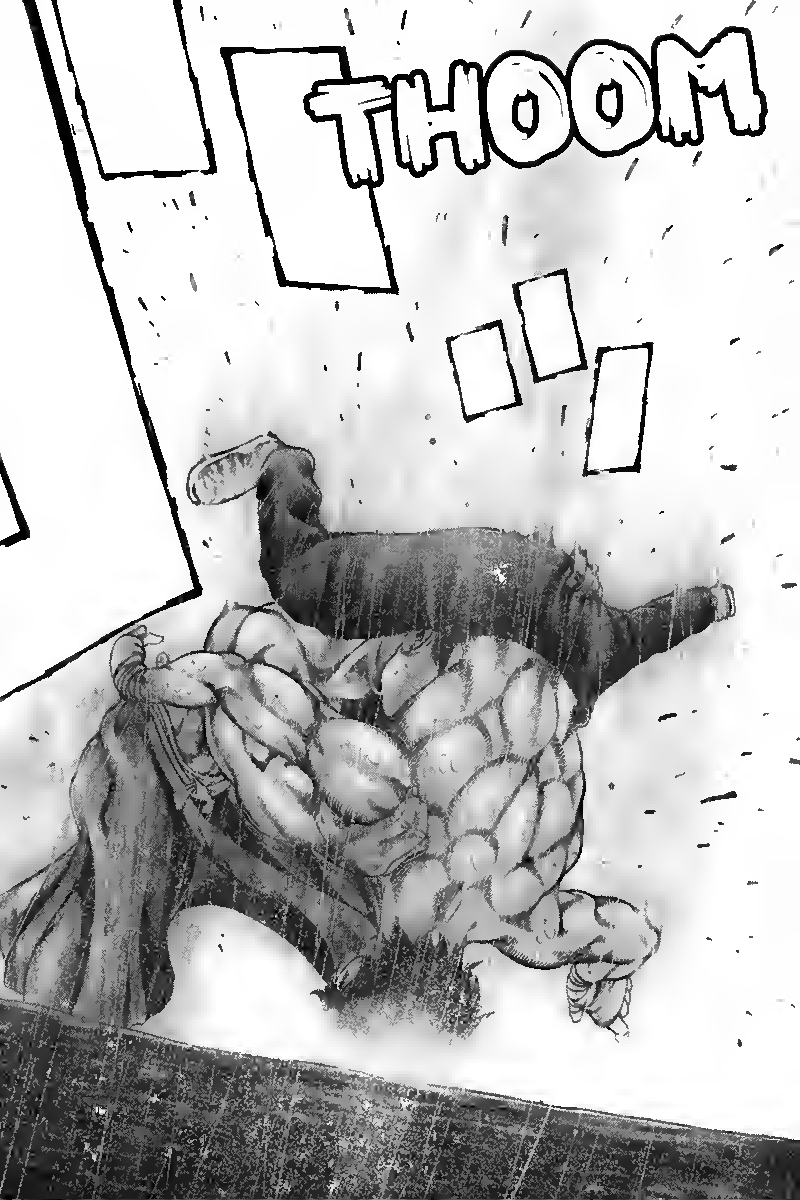
HE'S LOSIN' HIS BALANCE FROM THE WEIGHT OF HIS OWN FISTS!
OH NO! LOOKS LIKE HE CAN'T HOLD OUT!
FWUMP
!!
THWOK
WOBBLE
WHY YOU ...!!

THWUMP
VOOM
LOOKS LIKE THAT ONE'S REALLY HURTIN' YUKIMURA!!
Wobble
Wobble
KABUTO'S RIGHT LEG IS HEADING TOWARD YUKIMURA DIAGONALLY...

IT'S A PERFECT TACKLE!


YUKIMURA IS IN A STUPOR...!!
HE CAN'T DEFEND HIMSELF THIS TIME.
IF HE CONTINUES TO TAKE HITS LIKE THIS...

THIS IS IT!!
HE'LL DIE...!!
WOAAAHHHH


THOOM

WIN-
NER...
KABUTO
...
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To be Continued!?!?